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Nicholas Read, Deputy General Counsel The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Office of the Inspector General One Ashburton Place, Room 1311 Boston, MA 02108

Re: Request for an Advisory Opinion on Fiscal Controls for Municipal Utilities

D.T.E. 06-29

Dear Mr. Read:

The Inspector General reply comments in docket D.T.E. 06-29, dated June 29, 2006, reference at page two, footnote one, seven opinions rendered to North Attleborough Electric Department ("NAED") management by Rubin and Rudman, counsel for NAED. Pursuant to 220 C.M.R. § 2.08(2), please provide a copy of the referenced opinions dated February 9, 1994; February 18, 1997; October 21, 1997; November 24, 1997; October 22, 1999; September 28, 2001; and October 15, 2004.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Thank you.

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